



REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

## DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

1/80<sup>th</sup> Engineer Battalion (TASS)  
HC 81 Box A0  
Kingwood, West Virginia 26537

AFRC-TVA-CA (350)

24 January 2004

MEMORANDUM FOR: Engineer Community Trainers

SUBJECT: 1/80<sup>th</sup> Engineer Battalion, Regional Training Site – Engineer (RTS-E) 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Newsletter

1. Hello from the Region B Engineer School House in Kingwood, WV. We at the Engineer School wanted to bring you up to date on what is changing in the Engineer School Community. We hope that this newsletter and information enclosed will provide you a look at the future of Engineer NCOES and MOSQ Courses.

2. Some at the higher levels are aware of the conversion from Reserve Component School System (RC3) to the Total Army Training System (TATS). This conversion brings the Reserve Component in line with the Active Component School System. This change we will be training active component soldiers when tasked. The conversion is going to make our mission has trainers more challenging. The changes to courses now will include Distance Learning Phases and several courses are multi-phased. Attached to this letter will be a document explaining how and what courses this will affect. Please do not hesitate to call should you have questions concerning any of the changes.

3. Course Scheduling for Training Year 2004: As you all know we in the Reserve Component have faced many challenges with our expanded roll in current operations. We at the Engineer School House are facing some of the same challenges. We are hoping that by the time this letter is mailed that we will have made and locked in required changes to our course schedule for TY-04. It is our goal to stick with the published schedule but we encourage you to check ATRRS on a regular basis for any potential changes. Our intent is not to change courses dates; however due to current operations we may not have any choice.

4. In order to better serve you we are requesting that trainers at all levels and/or ATRRS operators provide us a good point of contact to include:

Full Name:  
Rank:  
Unit of Assignment:  
Unit Address:  
Unit Phone:  
Unit Fax:  
Email Address:

This information will help us reach you with future updates and sometime in the future a Newsletter via email. This information will also assist us when mailing out your soldiers DA 1059. The Engineer Directory is not as current as we would like it to be. We know the importance of soldiers having their military education properly maintained. Please email this information to [jerry.bird2@usarc-emh2.army.mil](mailto:jerry.bird2@usarc-emh2.army.mil)

5. It was our intent to have an Engineer Client Conference some time in the second quarter of TY – 04. Due to current operations we have put that idea on hold, knowing units will be returning from deployment and others will be preparing for deployment in the near future. We would like to extend the option to all Commanders, Command Sergeants Major, First Sergeants, and Trainers at attend this conference. Please feel free to come visit your soldiers when they are here for classes. All members of a soldier's chain of command or families are also welcome to attend

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Graduation Ceremonies, please contact the school in advance of your visit. Our contact information will be listed on the enclosed TY – 04 Course Schedule. We encourage your visits.  
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6. Enclosed you will find the following materials that will assist you in enrolling your soldiers in courses here at the RTS-E, at Camp Dawson, WV.

- a. Training Year TY – 04 Course Schedule
- b. Information Worksheet Explaining Changes in Courseware & Distance Learning Issues
- c. General Information For Sending Students to the RTS-E
- d. Pre Execution Check List (Required by all Students)

If you have additional questions please feel free to call us anytime. SFC Jerry A. Bird at (304) 329-3834 or email [jerry.bird2@usarc-emh2.army.mil](mailto:jerry.bird2@usarc-emh2.army.mil) or Mr. Donald Smith at (304) 329-4633 or email [donald.smith@usarc-emh2.army.mil](mailto:donald.smith@usarc-emh2.army.mil).

7. We hope this letter and the enclosed documents will answer your questions and assist you in getting you engineer soldier trained. Our goal is to provide your soldier the best possible engineer training. Working together we can accomplish this mission.

JERRY A. BIRD  
SFC, USAR  
Operations NCO

# REGIONAL TRAINING SITE - ENGINEER I/80TH ENGINEER BATTALION CAMP DAWSON, KINGWOOD, WEST VIRGINIA

## QUALITY TRAINING FOR TODAY'S ENGINEER SOLDIER

### Training Year 2004 Course Schedule

COURSE	CLASS#	DATES	LOCATION
CMF51/21CET	007	28 Feb-5 Mar	Kingwood, WV
51/21K10 III	501	21-28 Feb	Kingwood, WV
51/21K10 III	510	29 Feb-14 Mar	Kingwood, WV
CMF51/21 CET (IDT)	004	13 Mar-1 May	Kingwood, WV
12/21CMF40 II	131	6-20 Mar	Kingwood, WV
CMF51/21CET	006	7-13 Mar	Kingwood, WV
51R/21R10 II	301	13-28 Mar	Kingwood, WV
51R/21R10 III	301	28 Mar-13 Apr	Kingwood, WV
51B/21W10 II	101	14-27 Mar	Kingwood, WV
51B/21W10 III	201	27 Mar-9 Apr	Kingwood, WV
12B/21B30A II	123	27 Mar-10 Apr	Kingwood, WV
CMF51/21CET	003	4-10 Apr	Kingwood, WV
51B/21W10 II	102	11-24 Apr	Kingwood, WV
51B/21W10 III	202	25 Apr-7 May	Kingwood, WV
21N40 II	701	10-24 Apr	Kingwood, WV
CMF51/21CET	005	23-29 Apr	Kingwood, WV
62E/21E10	602	4-19 Jun	Kingwood, WV
12B/21B10 I	111	5-10 Jun	Kingwood, WV
12B/21B10 II	111	10-23 Jun	Kingwood, WV
51H/21H/T40 II	401	9-23 Jul	Kingwood, WV
62E/21E III	601	9-24 Jul	Kingwood, WV
12B/21B10 I	112	10-15 Jul	Kingwood, WV
12B/21B10 II	112	15-28 Jul	Kingwood, WV
51/21H30 II	801	24 Jul-7 Aug	Kingwood, WV
12B/21B30A	121	30 Jul-13 Aug	Kingwood, WV
12C/21CMF40	132	20 Aug-3 Sep	Kingwood, WV
12B/21B30A	122	11-25 Sep	Kingwood, WV

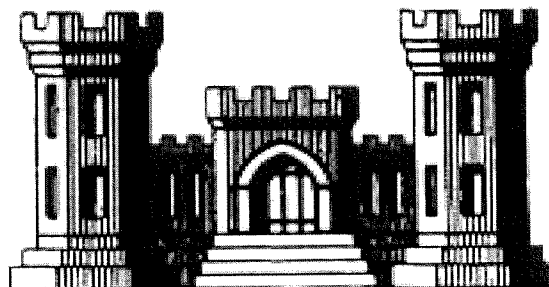
Commander: LTC Baumgardner  
Executive Officer: Major DeGregorio  
Command Sergeant Major: CSM Drnjevic  
Chief Instructor: SGM Williams

Visit us on the Army Training Requirements and Resources System under School Code B052 for a current list of Common Engineer Training (CET) Classes and dates. Along with other information regarding student and courses requirements. ESSAYONS

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*Seeking Quality Engineer Instructors To Train The  
Highest Quality Engineer Students!*

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**Regional Training Site – Engineer  
Camp Dawson, Kingwood, WV**

**Helpful Information For Units Sending Soldiers Here**

**PLEASE PROVIDE US A UNIT POC AND EMAIL ADDRESS FOR YOUR UNIT AND WE WILL PROVIDE YOU UPDATED SCHOOL INFORMATION IN THE FUTURE.**

**Fulltime Points Of Contact:**

Mr. Donald Smith	SA	(304) 329-4633	<a href="mailto:donald.smith@usar-emh2.army.mil">donald.smith@usar-emh2.army.mil</a>
SFC Jerry Bird	Opns	(304) 329-3834	<a href="mailto:jerry.bird2@usarc-emh2.army.mil">jerry.bird2@usarc-emh2.army.mil</a>
Duty Phone During Classes		(304) 329-6203/6259	
Billeting Camp Dawson		(304) 791-7001/7002	

**Unit mailing address:**

COMMANDER  
1/80<sup>TH</sup> ENGINEER BATTALION (RTS-E)  
HC 81 BOX AO  
KINGWOOD, WV  
26537

**ATRRS Enrollment Information:                      School Code B052**

*Please ensure that each student address is updated when you enroll them in a course.  
Please ensure soldier meets requirements as stated DA Pam 611-21.*

**Billeting/Meals Information:**

**NCOES Courses:** Students will be billeted at a cost of \$20.00 per night.

**MOSQ Courses:** Housing for ALL students attending MOSQ Courses will be provided at no cost to the student. TRADOC Regulations requires ALL students to be housed in a group environment.

**CET Courses:** Soldiers attending IDT (Weekend) Classes traveling out side of commuting distance will require orders providing them housing and breakfast and dinner meals. For Five Day ADT classes housing and meals will be provided during their stay.

**IMPORTANT SOLDIER IN PROCESSING INFORMATION:**

Please help us by using the attached Unit Pre Execution Checklist when sending your soldiers to school here!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Ensure your soldiers bring all items stated on their welcome letter!!! We do not have TA 50 items to issue to students!!!!!!!!!!

51H30 BNCOC students must complete Sub Courses EN 5151, EN 5152, EN 5153 and EN 5154 PRIOR to attending school. Certified true copies of completion certificates must be provided during in processing. (Certificates of completion will not be issued with out these documents).

*Pay close attention to changes occurring in the Army Training System over the next couple years. We will be updating ATRRS and be sending informational mailings occasionally. Please provide us a certified true copy of each soldiers current APFT Card. (No Less Than 12 Months form date of completion of course).*

# ***Fact Sheet***

## ***Conversion to Total Army Training System (TATS)***

**Following are changes in the Engineer School Courses as they stand today.**

### **21CMFCET Common Engineer Training (Formally 51CMFCET)**

This course was taught in an IDT status over a 3 drill period and has an ADT 6 day course prior to this training year.

During TY-04 we will be teaching one CET class in an IDT phase for local units. Changes in the courseware require a live fire demolition exercise that will force this course to be conducted in a 6 Day ADT phase. The demo requirement will not actually be implemented until TY-05. However we are converting most of our CET classes this TY to the 6 Day ADT phase due to Instructor Mobilizations and Unit Mobilizations.

### **21B10 Combat Engineer (Formally 12B10)**

Was a two week course prior to this Training Year is now *two* phases:

Phase I – 5 Day IDT Phase

Phase II - 14 Day ADT Phase

Phases I & II will be conducted together over a 19 Day AT Period

### **21E10 Heavy Construction Equipment (Formally 62E10)**

Was a two week course prior to this Training Year is now *two* phases not including Common Engineer Training (CET) required for award of 21E MOS::

Phase II – Distance Learning 27 hours to be completed prior to attending Phase III

Phase III – 16 Day ADT Phase

### **21H/T40 Construction Engineer Supervisor ANCOC (Formally 51H/T40)**

Was a two week course prior to this Training Year is now a *two* phases:

Phase I – Distance Learning (*To be implemented in TY-05*)

### **21K Plumber (Formally 51K10)**

Was a two week course prior to this Training Year is now *three* phases not including Common Engineer Training (CET) required for award of the 21K MOS:

Phase I – Distance Learning (*Not yet completed. DL will be incorporated in Phases II & III during TY-04.*)

Phase II – 7 Day IDT Phase

Phase III – 15 Day ADT Phase

Phases II & III will be conducted together over a 23 Day AT Period. TY-05 will bring some changes to the above phase lengths. This information will be passed on in future mailings.

### **21R Electrician (Formally 51R10)**

Was a two week course prior to this Training Year is now *three* phases not including Common Engineer Training (CET) required for award of the 21R MOS:

Phase II – Distance Learning (*Not yet completed. DL will be incorporated in Phases II & III during TY-04.*)

Phase III – 15 Day IDT Phase

Phase IV – 13 Day ADT Phase

Phases II & III will be conducted together over a 28 Day AT Period. TY-05 will bring some changes to the above phase lengths. This information will be passed on in future mailings.

### **21W Carpentry/Masonry Specialist (Formally 51B10)**

Was a two week course prior to this Training Year is now a *three* phases not including Common Engineer Training (CET) required for award of the 21W MOS:

Phase I – Distance Learning 23 hours to be completed prior to attending Phase II

Phase II – 13 Day IDT Phase

Phase III – 12 Day ADT Phase

Phases II & III will be conducted together over a 25 Day AT Period.